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## CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 17-JUL-2006

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD. AVG.	LOADS
US GRADE A	51-70	60-63	61.57	28

## ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 15-Jul-06

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	164,388	139,510

## GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY

70.00

## FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

69.74

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

ITEM	WTD. AVG. (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	156.50	1,185
BREASTS - B/S	146.00	5,468
BREASTS - WHOLE	75.50	1,268
THIGH MEAT - B/S	82.50	1,070
LEG QUARTERS	37.50	8,415
WINGS	82.00	2,720

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

**MIDWEST** Preliminary majority delivered prices for next week into the Chicago market were unchanged. Whole broiler/fryer market tone was steady. Offerings were moderate. Movement into all channels was subdued, slow to moderate at best; Chicago noted occasional fairly good demand into some food service outlets. Floor stocks were adequate to long; weights mixed. Parts offerings were light with boneless/skinless breasts most available and discounted. The market tone was fully steady to firm on wings, steady to fully steady on leg quarters, barely steady to weak on boneless/skinless breasts and steady on the balance.

**WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS**, FROZEN CONSUME SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) **WEEK ENDING JULY 14, 2006**

	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO		CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
<b>8-16 LB HENS</b>				<b>16-24 LB TOMS</b>			
EASTERN REGION	74.00	75.00	73.50	EASTERN REGION	74.00	73.75**	73.67
CENTRAL REGION	74.00	73.50	71.00	CENTRAL REGION	74.00	72.67	71.00
WESTERN REGION	74.50**	74.50**	72.50**	WESTERN REGION	74.50**	74.50**	71.80**

\*\*BASED ON OFFERS

## LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 08-Jul-2006 (PRELIMINARY)

	YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS
Head	139,425
Avg Wt	5.37
Last week	168,518
Same wk yr ago	148,211
Avg Wt	5.17
To-date/2006	4,341,437
To-date/2005	4,303,159

## LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED

	YOUNG HENS THOUSANDS	YOUNG TOMS THOUSANDS
Head	1,677	2,183
Avg Wt	16.30	37.67
Last week	2,098	2,616
Same wk yr ago	1,539	2,202
Avg Wt	16.07	37.07
To-date/2006	51,527	67,301
To-date/2005	45,155	68,573

## FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

112A 3 Rib, ribeye, bnls, heavy
168 3 Round, top inside round
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, 0x1
Ground Beef 81%

PRICE RANGE

656.00	691.00
155.53	166.14
678.07	720.00
103.65	121.00

WEIGHTED  
AVERAGE

667.56
156.42
696.71
109.47

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